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Michelle Folger**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application of:

Applicant(s): Eric J. Horvitz, *et al.*

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COMPUTATIONAL RESOURCES IN AUTOMATED PERCEPTUAL
SYSTEMS

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**REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT FIRST ACTION INTERVIEW
REQUEST DATED JUNE 19, 2008**

Dear Sir:

Appellant's representative submits this Reply in connection with the above-identified patent application and in response to the Notice of Non-Complaint First Action Interview Request dated June 19, 2008.

Applicant no longer wishes to participate in the First Action Interview Pilot Program. Please proceed with preparation of a first Office action on the merits of the application.

In the event any additional fees may be due and/or are not covered by the credit card submission provided, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1063 [MSFTP479US].

Respectfully submitted,
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